THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand-Summers Stock Co., week-Feb. 26.

(Supplied to The Planet by Pres

Agents.)

SUMMERS STOCK CO.

of the play presented by the Sum-

mers Co., at the Grand last even-

"PRETTY PEGGY."

ture is the theme of Frances Aymar Mathews' play, "Pretty Pegggy," in which Jane Corcoran is starring this season, and which will be presented at the Grand, this city, on Monday, March."

"Leah, the Forsaken," was the title

Wm. Foreman & Co., IMPORTERS.

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AN EXCELLENT PLAY

"Leah, the Forsaken," was the title of the play presented by the Summers Stock Co., at the Grand last even-

ing.

It is the strongest play of their repertoire and the acting shown in it is unsurpassed by any other stock company that has visited Chatham further proof of her great dramatio

powers, and her acting held the audence spellbound throughout the enpiece. e was Leah, the forsaken, Leah, the avenger, and Leah, the forgiver,

in turn, varying her moods with ist and the great brilliancy. The impassioned elocution of Leah's appeals from the daughter's depths of her trampled womanhood, for mercy, for love, and lastly for refor mercy, for love, and lastly for revenge, all were intensely real and pathetic.

"Pretty Peggy is the name that Miss Corcoran is known by in the play, and rightly named is the little Miss Helene Leslie Ward, as "Ma-

delina," came in for great praise for her splendid acting last evening. Her pretty, winning ways, her womanly grace and the many charms which she exhibited, apart from her beauty, completely won the audi-

which she exhibited, apart from her beauty, completely won the audience.

The other characters in the play were in competent hands, and there was not a hitch throughout the whole performance.

The piece is spiendidly staged and the supporting company contains many professionals of reputation. The date for Chatham is March 5. whole performance To-night the Company play their funny piece, "The Spendthrift," and with a complete change of variety,

and an exceptionally good show, they can look forward to a bumper house.

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star, a dainty mamed is the little star, a dainty miss with a winsome face, pretty and conveying a world of expression; a voice clear and used understandingly; she glides along through the play with dramatic eas-

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SHOT FIFTEEN | **MANIFESTANTS** 

Gendarmes Fire on Enormous Crowd at Church Door

COL. BERGE BADLY HURT

Le Puy, March 1.-Serious disturbances occurred on Tuesday during the taking of the inventory of a village thurch near Saugues, Department of Haute-Loire. An enormous crowd, Armed with sticks and stones, sur-The piece was well staged and rounded the gendarmes, many of whom splendidly acted, Miss Belle Steven-son giving further proof of her great dramatic powers. To night the Company play their were beaten or pelted with heavy

stones.

The gendarmes, in order to extri-The genuarines, in order to eather cate themselves, fired their revolvers, wounding fifteen of the manifestants, two of whom were mortally burt. The officer commanding the gendarmes and the Government Commissioner were both badly injuried by the rioters. The condarmes retired with difficulty. funny piece, "The Spendthrift," and with a complete change of variety, and an exceptionally good show, they may expect a crowded theatre.

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At Masamet yesterday, a detachment of troops charged a mob of manifestants outside the Church of St. Sauver is the theme of Frances Ayman Mathews' play, "Pretty Paggar". law providing for the separation of church and state. Col. Berge, in com-mand of the soldiers, was struck by a stone and seriously hurt, and a number of men were wounded.

March 5.

Pretty Peg. Woffington, the Irish Orange lass, who took London by storm, made a slave of Sir Cholly Gibber, the English poet laureate, and a hundred of other lords and dandies, and finally filled the place of the great Pracer large with the company of the great Pracer large with the great large with the gr Carpet Ball Standing

dandie	a hundred of other lords and es, and finally filled the place e great Bracegirdle in the com-	Last evening the I. O. F. won a double header from the C.O.F.				
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fore the girl's eyes and gains hers and her mother's—very importantly mamma's—consent to take her there. The circus scene with its contortion-ist and the refoubtable Mrs. Wof-fington handling her fascinating daughter's admirers is both unique and finns.

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RICHMOND.

A social event occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Rhunke ,on Wednesday last, when the Willing Workers and Ladies' Assisting Society held their monthly meeting. All enjoyed themselves and we trust we may have many more as pleasant meetings.

New St. Andrew's congregation their old pas-

New St. Andrew's congregation was cheered by having their old pastor, Rev. Mr. Neilly, back on Sunday, after an illness of several long Mrs .Thos. Burke, who has been or

me sick list, is better.

Mrs. W. Ross has been visiting at

Mitchell's Bay.

Wedding bells are ringing.

Mr. Jos. Porter is moving to Mr.

W. Rhunke's farm, corner 7th Con. and Baldoon St. The weight social held at Mr. and Mrs. A. Hind's on Tuesday evening was a success, the proceeds amounting to \$11.75.

EAST BRANCH.

We wish Prof. Hicks would give us snow for a change.

Mr. Clapp has rented his farm on the south side and will move next week to his farm on the 8th concession, Chatham Tp.

of Mrs. Alfred Shaw on Wedne

Mr. Robt. Frye and family intend noving near Tupperville next month.

Austin Hazzard is recovering from his recent illness. or was through here last

week making his rounds.

Louis Lopper, of Tupperville, was on the branch on Saturday trying to

buy a horse.
G. Mickle and J. M. Richardson are having a new line fence erected between their farms. The Seward Bros. attended a sale

The Seward Bros. attended a sale near Tupperville on Thursday.

Miss J. Seward is enjoying an extended visit with friends at Tillsonburg and vicinity.

W. Innes is having his orchard trimmed and fitted up.

T. Richardson was in Chatham on Mondas.

WABASH.

Mrs. David Cutler has returned, after spending a few days in the Maple City. Wilfred Hawkins has returned, af-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Webber are vis-

and and mrs. Will webber are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Robert Arnold will give an oyster supper on Thursday night.

Arch. Phillips traded horses with Mr. Courtney last week.

Robert Arnold will hold his aucvery hard weather on the wheat.
Mr. and Mrs. Burwell are visiting ish the program.

KENT BRIDGE.

in Dawn.

Rev. Mr. Mustard, at one time pastor of Knox Church here, called on old friends one day last week.

The debate at the Polemical Club \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* on Friday last was very interesting— Married Life vs. Single Life. The affirmative was taken by the young men of the village, the negative by the married ones. The former won. Mrs. E. Worth was in Toronto the beginning of the yearly

beginning of the week . Miss Beatrice Weeks, of Botany, is risiting the Misses Shaw.

A. C. Shaw returned from Toron-

Telephone or drop a card and they will be sent for and returned.

A number of picture post cards of the Bridge are being exhibited in Langford's store. The snap-shots were lucky: this week there is none. The debating society in connection with the Baptist church draws large crowds. Debates are held Tuesday were taken by Slifford Langford.

A SINGLE

FACT.

is worth a shipload of arguments. Here is a fact. We have just placed on our tables several lines of bright New Spring Suits. Styles that the ordinary dealer-the one who does not make the clothes he sells-will be showing you as strictly (?) new two months from now. These Suits have all been made in our factory since January 1st, 1906, and the styles are what will be correct for Spring. You may not be ready to buy, but we are ready, and will be pleased to show you

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Sign of the Big Clock A. A. JORDAN

Miss Gillespie, of Thamesville, is a guest of Miss Sarah Langford,
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Stephens were in Toronto last week attending the banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier.
The Ladies' Literary Society holds its next meeting at Mrs. Alfred Langford's Three pages of Canada. Robert Arnold will now have tion sale on March 6th.

The farmers report this as being Langford's. Three papers on Canada and the discussion of them will furnished.

NORTH BUXTON.

Mr. Hilliard Morris had a bee Thursday raising his house. Wm. F. Moore is confined to his bed through illness

Mr. Andrew Newly is convalescent.
We appreciate the tone of the letter that appeared in this week's Planet re the convention. Much more might be said on the same line. Inspector Park called at the school this week.
You should see C. H. Shupe's display of American Field Fence before

ordering.
Those who harvested ice last week

AMUSEMENTS

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Monday, March 5th

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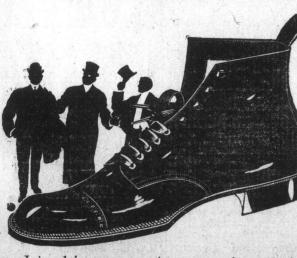
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